

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
EASTERN DIVISION

KRISTAL N. ARTICE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

EPWORTH CHILDREN AND  
FAMILY SERVICES, *et al.*,

Defendants.

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Case No. 4:20-cv-01759-MTS

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

This matter is before the Court on Defendant Epworth Children and Family Services (“Epworth”)’s unopposed Motion to Dismiss, Doc. [11]. Plaintiff failed to respond to Epworth’s Motion. The Court eventually ordered Plaintiff to do so. Doc. [14]. Plaintiff then filed something with the Court, but it did not address or even reference Epworth’s Motion to Dismiss. Doc. [17]. The Court again ordered Plaintiff to respond to Epworth’s Motion, this time by June 1, 2021. Doc. [18]. The Court cautioned Plaintiff that failure to respond would result in a dismissal of claims against Epworth. Plaintiff still has not responded.

Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendant Epworth’s unopposed Motion to Dismiss, Doc. [11], is **GRANTED**.

Dated this 14th day of June, 2021.



MATTHEW T. SCHELP  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE